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OF BUTLER, MO.

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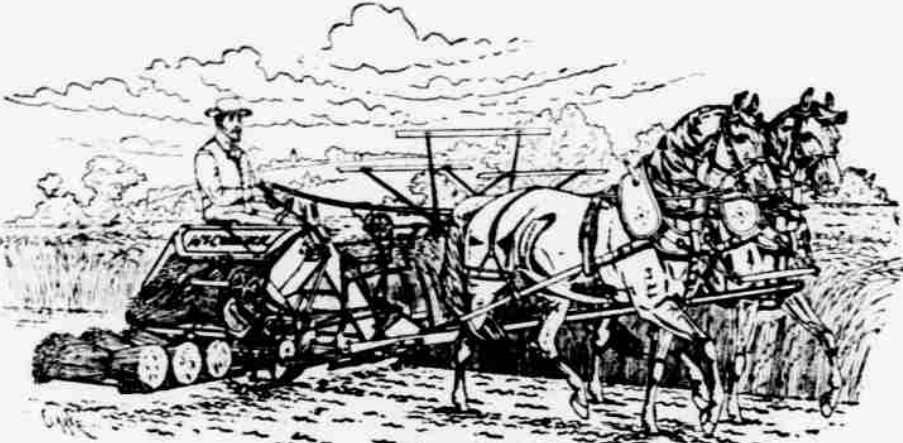
Receives Deposits subject to Check. Loans Money. Makes Collections and does a General Banking Business.

DEPOSITORY FOR COUNTY FUNDS.

In the Real Estate Loan Department. Make loans on Real Estate on long or short time at lowest rates without delay.

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Brown, Lulu	Kenny, Don Ass't Cashier	Tucker, W. E. Dentist
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Bryan, Margaret	Norison, C. H. Farmer	Voris, Frank M. Farmer
Chelt, H. B. Farmer	Miller, Alf Farmer	Vaughan, J. M. Capitalist
Caruthers, G. A. Farmer	McCracken, A. Farmer	Wyatt, H. C. Lumber dealer
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Dickens, R. C. Con. & Rest	Powell, Booker Farmer	Wagner, Max Boots & shoes
Dutcher, C. H. Prof. Normal Sch	Pizzott, H. H. Bank Clerk	Walls, Wm Farmer
Edmond, D. A. Circuit Judge	Reeder, J. M. Farmer	Walls, J. J. Physician
Evans, John Farmer	Reeder, Oscar	Whipple, N. L. Physician
Everingham, J. Physician	Radford, Chas. R. Farmer	Williams, R. V. Farmer
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BINDING TWINE A SPECIALTY.

North Side Square, Butler, Missouri

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OF BATES COUNTY,

Cash Capital.

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We have just perfected arrangements with the J. H. Campbell Commission Company of Kansas City, to telegraph us the cattle and hog market at noon each day, for the benefit of our friends. Also receive "Drovers' Telegrams" and Kansas City dailies, giving full market reports. Call and investigate at your leisure.

Receives Deposits subject to check, loans money, issues drafts, and transacts a general banking business. Your patronage respectfully solicited.

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I have a number of Farms in Bates County
RANGING FROM 40 TO 300 ACRES
WHICH ARE FOR SALE CHEAP.

Small Cash Payments,

Balance on Long Time with Low Rate of Interest.

CALL OR WRITE,

GEO. M. CANTERBURY,
BUTLER, MO.

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.

As Such the Political Infant of Cincinnati Begins its Earthly Career.

The Bate not National—A Few States Over-Represented and Certain Sections Wholly Ignored—Childhood Ailments Prophesied.

Cincinnati, May 21.—"The People's Party of the United States of America" was born amid scenes of wild confusion, extreme good nature, a manifestation of brotherly love never equalled at a camp meeting of old-time Methodists. No accurate description will ever be given of the scenes which followed the reading of the platform, termed by every speaker "the Second Declaration of Independence." All attempts to postpone decisive action were abandoned at noon yesterday, and the men who had heretofore been styled leaders simply became followers. Senator Pepper was the first to fall into line, and his speech of acceptance was a graceful yielding to the inevitable. With the exception of President Livingstone of Georgia, the men who had stood out against a third party seemingly took up the battle cry with as much enthusiasm as did Ignatius Donnelly, P. P. Elder and Robert Shelling of Wisconsin, who first marshaled the unorganized third party mob. There was just one answer made to the leaders who counselled delay. "Our people demand action now," was the reply, "and we dare not go back and tell them we have done nothing."

INTENSELY LOCAL.

How intensely local the causes were which influenced the delegations will not be appreciated until after the campaign has opened. In Ohio it is a bitter state fight, in which the democracy is interested in having a third party in the field. In Kansas the People's party movement could not be held together unless something definite was given to work for.

In the Minnesota delegation it was the personality of Ignatius Donnelly. Ohio, Kansas and Minnesota had two thirds of the votes in what was called "a national convention." There was a sentimental display of uniting the gray and the blue through the few ex-confederates and many ex-Union soldiers, but the gray was conspicuous by its absence.

THE SOUTH NOT BOUND.

Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, California and Minnesota are bound by their delegations, but Ohio is not. The delegation from this state represents almost everything under

heaven except the Farmers' Alliance. It may be that the convention which meets in Columbus next week will endorse the action of this conference, but it is not certain nor highly probable. None of the southern states will be bound, but that a third party will enter the field there can be no question. General Weaver in his speech of congratulation said that the campaign of 1892 would be between the Democratic and the People's parties. His interpretation of the southern absence is that the Alliance in the south is Democratic. For that reason the national committee which was appointed was empowered to call a convention for the nomination of a presidential candidate, if the convention which meets in Washington in 1892 does not see fit to do so.

That national committee is composed of men who will not be trifled with. P. P. Elder, chairman of the Kansas representation, outlined its policy to the Star correspondent last night. We cannot wait on the south forever," said he, "and if they do not want to come with us in 1892 we will simply organize our northern Alliance."

"IT MEANS NOTHING"

The fact of the matter is, the southern Alliance men are Democrats. The only man who is competent to express an opinion on the probable action of the southern Alliance is S. F. Livingstone, president of the Georgia Alliance. Before his departure for Atlanta last night he said: "It is impossible to foresee the result of this meeting. Of itself it means nothing. I did not participate in the deliberations because I was not authorized to do so and was unwilling to bind myself by its actions. What the Citizens' Alliance, Knights of Labor, Reform Press associations and kindred organizations do separate and distinct from the Farmers' Alliance is a matter for them in their state conventions and in the national convention of 1892. If the Farmers' Alliance endorses the action of this mass meeting for that is all it can be called affairs will assume a serious phase."

President Livingstone left the northern and western delegates just where they were when they came to Cincinnati, simply guessing at what the southern states would do.

Cunningham of Arkansas, who was elected temporary chairman, did not pretend to speak for anybody but the members of the colored Alliance. He has been a Union Labor man for years and has not been identified with the democratic party in the south. Davis of Texas, who officiated as the rebel in the blending of the blue and the gray, is the editor of a reform paper and his credentials

come from the Reform Press association.

A NEW QUESTION.

A little group of Alliance lecturers in the Emory Arcade last night discussed a feature of the alliance movement which will be brought home to the various state Alliances within the next sixty days. "Our occupation is gone," said a lecturer who has been operating in Illinois. "So long as we could go before the farmers and tell them they could join the Alliance without renouncing the old parties and dwell upon the social and other features, it was an easy matter to organize lodges. Now the first question must be, 'Are you prepared to forsake your party for good?'"

WISE AS TO KANSAS

From a Kansas standpoint the move will unquestionably strengthen the people's party in the state and will force the democrats to either support their ticket, receiving in return such crumbs as may be tossed them, or sink into insignificance in the campaign of 1892.

The refusal of the convention to give a word of encouragement to the prohibitionists will draw the lines more closely than ever on that question. If the republican party ever had an idea of ignoring the question in their state platform of 1892, they will abandon it at once. Brewer Burkhalter, who was the chairman of the local reception committee and who gave the banquet last night, will be a prominent factor in Kansas politics.

AMERICAN TIN WANTED.

The "Evening Post" Calls Attention to Its Unaccepted Offer.

New York, May 22.—The Evening Post, which is waging the same sort of war on the tin plate humbug in the east that the Republic is in the west, rubs it in on the so-called producers of that commodity to-day as follows:

We have been displaying as conspicuously as possible for several days in the front or Broadway window of our counting room a large placard with the following attractive announcement:

AMERICAN TIN WANTED.

Offers will be received in the counting-room of the Post of American tin plate in response to the following orders of responsible dealers: For 6,000 boxes of tin plate for the entire American tin plate product for the year 1891. Particulars within.

No response whatever has been received thus far, either to the placard or the two letters from the tin-plate dealers of high standing

in the trade upon which the offers are based. We published the first of these letters May 14 and the second May 20, yet no response has been received from any quarter in regard to them, though both letters have been published widely throughout the country by other newspapers as anxious as we are to get a solution of this great American tin plate mystery. We observe that the morning Tribune this morning reports the old list of "works" which are said to be pouring out tin plate in such voluminous quantities as to silence the "croakings of free-trade publications." Why do not some of these "works" snap up those two handsome offers? Will the Tribune aid us in calling the attention of American tin plate producers to these offers and in impressing upon them the obvious fact that they can silence free-trade "croakers" permanently by bringing forward the tin and taking the money for it?"

Reynard Items.

The farmers of this vicinity are rejoicing over the showers that fell last week as oats and flax were needing a shower. Everybody through planting corn and some cultivating; oats and flax looks fine since the rain. T. G. Hines is one of Reynard's rustlers, he has 25 acres of corn for two teams to cultivate. E. E. Holt must aim to sweeten up in his old days, as he got a new barrel of sugar last week. C. C. Peeler is having a large barn built; the work is being done by Charles Culver. James Culver has got to be quite industrious of late, he works all day on the farm and sharpens plows at night.

Bert Hall says he is not going to let Mr. Gilbreath's dog scare him so again. Anyone needing dry goods and groceries call on our thriving merchant, F. P. Browning. Mr. H. G. Norman is visiting relatives and friends in the neighborhood this week. The Hook Sabbath school will observe Children's Day the fifth Sunday, as they were rained out the second Sunday. Will Holt says he likes to buggy ride but not on a stalk cutter. Mrs. Emma Peak of Nevada is visiting her mother and many friends of Round Prairie; glad to see her back with us again. Wm Walker is farming for the widow Sharp or Miss Tennie, don't know which. Children's Day service will be held at the C. P. church; everybody invited. John Brown sold 31 head of hogs last week which averaged 263 1/2 pounds. The girls report a good time at the quilting given by Miss Elsie Brown last week. Bortha Hines says she would give 25c to know what scared B. B. that he never comes back any more, and also who Uncle Dave is.

UNCLE DAVE.

Ho! Ho! Agents and Canvassers.

A NEW IDEA FOR CHILDREN. Something new and unique in educational devices. For the home. Parents pleased and children delighted. One man takes 20 order in one day. Another reports \$30 profit in one day, and \$85.50 for the week. Others have done better. Why can't you? Strike while the iron is hot. Territory going fast. Circulars and terms free. Address C. J. FOSTER, 22 Chestnut St., St. Louis, Mo.

A Sad Accident.

(From Lone Oak Township.)

This week we are called upon to announce the sad death of Edward D. Hall which occurred at the residence of his parents near Lone Oak, on Monday, May 18th at 3 o'clock p. m. The particulars concerning his death as near as we can learn are as follows: On Saturday, May 16 his father sent him, in company with his brother, to haul away some rubbish from where an old house once stood. They loaded their wagons and started to the house when some of the boards on which he was standing slipped and he lost his balance and fell both wheels passing over his body. The cries of his brother soon brought his father to the spot, when he found that Edward was too badly injured to remove without assistance, this he immediately summoned and he was taken to the house and Dr. Lee summoned and did all he could to relieve the sufferer, but all in vain, he remained in terrible agony until death came to his relief.

The deceased was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hall and had just passed his 15th birthday two days before the fatal accident. It is unnecessary for us to say that he was highly estimated by all who knew him; everywhere he was known he was a favorite. He was obedient to every dictate and wish of his parents. His short life was a model to those who wish to attain a high degree of honor and respect. Possessed of superior talents he moved forward in the pursuit of knowledge with gigantic strides which no ordinary pupil could attain and thus gained the favor of his instructors and respect of his classmates. The ideas which he advanced were such as to create the greatest admiration. He accepted no theories except those based upon reason. His chief object was to grasp the great fundamental truths demonstrated by science, and well it has been said by those who were intrusted with his instruction that he was a boy in years but a man in thought. Thus we may see, with such a character and talents, it is hard to give him up. When our school is again called and we look around and see the seat he once occupied we will with sad hearts think of our dear schoolmate that is gone. His remains were laid to rest in the Double Branch graveyard in the presence of large number of sympathizing friends.

As the rude wind of autumn, when it sweeps over the plain,
Nips the choicest, most beautiful flowers,
So the angel of death when he comes seems to claim
The most dearly loved one of ours.
He has passed at the threshold, yea, entered
The door,
He has taken our loved one away;
But our loss is his gain, he rests on the shore
That beams with eternity's day.
—A SCHOOLMATE.

Stage Struck But Called Back.

Joplin, Mo., May 22.—Miss Stella Hood and Miss Maggie Fergusson, 17 year-old stage struck girls, arrived home last night from St. Louis which they had reached when arrested on their way to New York. They were induced to leave home by W. S. Dumont, a fellow who came to Joplin with a company of "barnstormers" and who subsequently was employed as steward at the Joplin hotel. He promised to get the girls good positions with first class companies.

Huge Number of Immigrants.

Washington, D. C., May 22.—During April 85,000 immigrants arrived in this country, against 64,212 in April, 1890. Of the immigrants arriving last month, Germany furnished 22,755, Italy 13,128, Ireland 9,492, England and Wales 5,543, Austria-Hungary 8,709, Sweden and Norway 8,502 and Russia 4,272.

RAW AS BEEF-STEAK

Baby's Fearful Suffering from Skin Disease Covering Entire Body Cured by Cuticura.

My baby was taken sick when it was three months old, and in a few days it began to break out. We employed both of the home doctors, and they could do nothing for him. Then we sent for the best doctor in Eaton Rapids, Mich., and he doctored him for two weeks and he got worse all the time, and then I took him to Jackson, to a doctor who attended especially to skin diseases, and he doctored him worse than ever. Then I told my husband we had better try the Cuticura Remedies anyway; didn't have any idea they would do any good, but in less than two months from the time we began giving them to him he was entirely well, and not a spot on him. His hair began growing right off, and we thought he would always be bald-headed. There was not a spot on his whole body, face and head, only his nose and eyes, but what was raw as beef-steak. So poor there was not anything but bones, and so weak he could raise neither hand nor head.
Mrs. Frank Barrett, Winfield, Mich.

Cuticura Resolvent.
The new blood skin purifier, and greatest of humors remedies, cleanses the blood of all impurities, while Cuticura, the great skin cure, and Cuticura Soap, an exquisite skin beautifier, clear the skin and scalp, and restore the hair. Thus the Cuticura Remedies cure every species of itching, burning, scaly, pimply and blotchy skin, scalp and blood diseases, from pimples to scrofula, from infancy to age, when the best physicians fail.
Sold everywhere. Price, Cuticura, Small Soap, 25c; Resolvent, 50c. Prepared by the Potter Drug and Chemical Corporation, Boston.
Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials. **Cuticura** Skin and Scalp purified and beautified by Cuticura Soap. Absolutely pure.

RHEUMATIC PAINS
In one minute the Cuticura Anti Pain Plaster relieves rheumatic neuralgia, hip, kidney, chest and muscular pains and weaknesses. Price 25c.

